

AMENDMENT
September 6, 2005

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REMARKS

Claims 4 – 28 remain in the application. Claims 12 – 28 are allowed. Claims 1 – 3 are canceled herein without prejudice. Claims 3 – 10 are objected to for depending from a rejected base claim. New claim 29 is added. No new matter has been added.

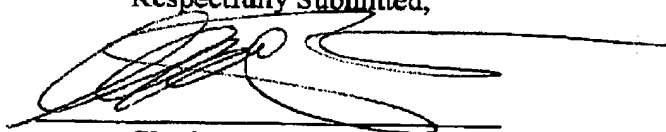
Applicants believe that all original claims are allowable over all references of record. Be that as it may, however, rejected claims 1 and 2 are canceled herein without prejudice and claim 3 is rewritten to include the recitations of claims 1 and 2 as new independent claim 29. Claim 11 is amended to depend from claim 29, i.e., rewritten claim 3. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the objection to claims 29, 4 – 10 is respectfully solicited.

Further, cancellation of rejected claims 1 and 2 obviates the need for any discussion of the rejection of claims 1 and 2 over any reference of record. Accordingly, all remaining claims are allowable. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection of claim 11, the objection to claims 29, 4 – 10, and allowance of the application to issue.

Should the Examiner believe anything further may be required, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the local telephone number listed below for a telephonic or personal interview to discuss any other changes.

Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully Submitted,



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